



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 9812.0046-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Tomoya TAKEI et al.)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
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Application No.: 10/576,097)	Examiner: Unassigned
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Filed: April 18, 2006)	
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For: LENS POSITION DETECTOR,)	Confirmation No.: Unassigned
LENS BARREL AND IMAGING)	
DEVICE)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application
as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings are included in the attached replacement
drawing sheet. The amendments are illustrated in the attached annotated drawing
sheet.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.

Attachments to this amendment include marked up copy of Figure 12 and Figure
12 Replacement Sheet.